

ORDER NO. 2005

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Ruth Y. Goldway, Chairman;  
Mark Acton, Vice Chairman; and  
Robert G. Taub

Competitive Product Prices  
Global Expedited Package Services Contracts  
Non-Published Rates 4 (MC2013-27)

Docket No. CP2013-35

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RELIEF

(Issued February 28, 2014)

The negotiated service agreement approved in this proceeding, ending in serial number -0027 (Existing Agreement), is set to expire March 14, 2014.<sup>1</sup> The Postal Service filed a motion requesting that the Commission extend the expiration date of the Existing Agreement.<sup>2</sup>

The Postal Service represents that it intends to offer a new successor agreement to the customer who signed the Existing Agreement. *Id.* at 1. However, in the interest of maintaining continuity of pricing and other terms and conditions, the Postal Service

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<sup>1</sup> See Docket Nos. MC2013-27 and CP2013-35, Customer Contract Filing Notice for Global Expedited Package Services – Non-Published Rates 4 Serial Numbers Ending: 0020-0022 and 0025-0031, March 21, 2013.

<sup>2</sup> See Motion of the United States Postal Service for Temporary Relief Concerning Global Expedited Package Services – Non-Published Rates 4 Contract with Serial Number Ending in 0027, February 26, 2014 (Motion).

requests that the Existing Agreement be extended until March 31, 2014. *Id.* It also states that it has sent the proposed written modification to the customer altering the expiration date to March 31, 2014. *Id.*

The Motion is granted. The Existing Agreement is authorized to continue through March 31, 2014. Allowing the Existing Agreement to remain in effect temporarily is in the public interest and will not prejudice any person.

Any fully executed modification to the Existing Agreement between the Postal Service and the customer should be filed with the Commission.

*It is ordered:*

1. The United States Postal Service Motion for Temporary Relief, filed February 26, 2014, is granted.
2. The Existing Agreement is authorized to continue through March 31, 2014.
3. If written modifications to the Existing Agreements are fully executed, the Postal Service shall file such modifications with the Commission.

By the Commission.

Ruth Ann Abrams  
Acting Secretary